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THE BRIBERY INVESTIGATION

Dramatic Scene in Senate When the Accused Were Refused Protection

SACRAMENTO, February 14.—In last week's issue I gave briefly the statement of the prosecution in the celebrated bribery case. The defense then began to present their side of the case, but the case was criminally butchered by the attorneys. If those attorneys were trying to see how big a hole they could get their clients into, they succeeded admirably. One would naturally think an attorney was hired to look after the interests of his clients. In this case, however, the attorneys started out with the cart before the horse and maintained that peculiar position thruout. Instead of rushing their clients, the four Senators, on the stand and thus making them immune from further punishment, they changed tactics and permitted Jordan to testify, but objected to the Senators being sworn. Cator then, for the first time, realized how he had been outwitted by McNab and Seymour. Jordan had escaped and the accused Senators had been caught, simply because their attorneys had been monumental blunderers. So Jordan took the stand under one of the most exciting moments in the history of the investigation and in a quiet, dramatic way, told the story of the revolting attempt to bribe the legislators. His story corroborated that of detectives Tichenor and Hartling in almost every detail, Jordan admitting that he took the money and distributed it to the Senators. He contradicted Clarence Grange, however, by stating that Grange sought him and made the first proposition and put the idea into his head and he in turn suggested it to the Senators. If this be true Grange is as guilty and culpable as the Senators. It stands to reason that Jordan spoke the truth for there was every inducement for him to do so, for by telling the truth he would be immune from punishment, while if he deviated from the truth he would again get into trouble by being liable for prosecution for perjury.

The greatest scene, however, occurred in the Senate when the committee passed the responsibility of allowing the Senators to testify up to the Senate. A resolution was introduced instructing the committee not to permit the Senators to testify under oath. So here hinged the fight. The object was this—if the Senators were allowed to testify under oath they would escape punishment in courts of justice. So the proposition took this phase—shall the law take its course or shall the Senate interfere and thus relieve the accused from further prosecution. It must be admitted that there are two sides to the question and every man voted his honest conviction. This was the gravest responsibility ever passed up to a body of men. There has been too much of a fight between two rival newspapers, and this matter has been the bone of contention. The Senate had to forget newspaper squabbles and deal with the accused according to law. A majority of the Senate decided that the Senators should not be sworn before the committee, but should be given their hearing in a court of justice. We will soon be up against it again when the committee presents its report. Great is the responsibility and each Senator will have to vote as his conscience dictates, just as a juror has to do in a murder trial. We all feel the responsibility in such grave cases.

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After the Senate committee decided not to permit the Senators to testify under oath and the matter was thus left to the courts, the Sacramento county grand jury found indictments against the four accused Senators and they were quietly placed under arrest, but all were successful in securing bondsmen and were soon at liberty. Nothing now remains but for the committee to report and let the law take its course. There seems hardly sufficient evidence to convict Wright and French as there were no witnesses to their taking the money. Whether there is sufficient evidence to convict Emmons and Bunkers remains to be seen. While there may be enough already adduced to satisfy the general public, securing a conviction before a jury is another thing. A conviction there will not rest upon what one believes or thinks but upon the actual evidence adduced.

The Legislature is going to go down in history as the "Legislature of a thousand investigations." Judge Torrance of San Diego has been "investigated" and Judge Smith of Santa Cruz has also been investigated. The Santa Cruz Surf, a newspaper in Santa Cruz, announced thru its columns that the Assembly Investigating Committee had been "programmed" to bring in a report exonerating Smith. This aroused the ire of the committee, so the fresh little editor is to be cited for contempt and haled before the bar of the Assembly. The committee acted properly. There has been too much newspaper rule during this session. In fact some papers think they can say anything without being held responsible. An example should be set. Liberty is one thing and license another. A free, untrammeled and incorruptible press is a grand thing, and a brow-beating, malicious and contemptible press is quite another thing and should be put under proper restraint.

In this connection it might be mentioned that Emmons says Jordan agreed to protect him for $2600, finally reducing the amount to $2000. Upon Emmons' refusal Jordan is reported to have said that the "story" was worth $2000 as a newspaper "scoop," so there you are again. The fact that two newspapers are largely concerned cannot be denied. It is too bad too, for the actual occurrences are more or less colored to suit the "policy" of said journals. When one thus gets between the upper and nether stone of two powerful journals reputations are likely to be ground into any and all kinds of shapes. The committee and the Senate will try to arrive at a just and proper solution of the case, however, regardless of what the press may say. J. B. S.

Man Killed by a Falling Tree

A man by the name of S. S. Spencer, was, on Monday last, killed by a tree falling on him while in the act of chopping it down, which occurred near Calpella. It seems that the man had completed the task of chopping and sawing off one side of the tree and while at work upon the other side, the tree, without any previous warning, instantly fell to the ground, knocking Spencer over, killing him. Mr. Spencer was well along in years—being past 70—with no known relatives, and made a living by doing odd jobs, cutting wood and the like.

New Militia Company for Ukiah

On last Monday night a State Militia company was organized in this city. At the meeting 65 members were enrolled. The following were elected officers:

Captain, B. J. Spaulding; 1st Lieutenant, George David; 2d Lieutenant, Green Burke.

The State of California will furnish uniforms, arms and equipments as soon as the company is mustered in.

LOCAL NEWS EPITOMIZED

Comings, Goings and Doings of Mendocino's Gay Metropolis.

Supt. Broback has a force of men at work laying a new water main on Clara street.

One of the treats of the season will be the opera "Snow White" to be given by the class of Miss Ames on Friday evening, March 3d.

Next Sunday is "Parent's Day" in the Bible school at the Christian church. The service will be interesting. Come with the children.

Colonel Abe Marks was in town from Ukiah on Saturday. The Col. has a horse at the track and went out there during his stay.—Santa Rosa Press.

Joseph Thomas, who has been manager of the Ukiah Mercantile Co. for a long time, has resigned on account of continued ill-health. Mr. Ward now holds the position.

A Colonial Tea will be given at Sanford's hall on the afternoon of the 22nd by the ladies of the Presbyterian Aid Society. An excellent program and light refreshments for 15 cents.

The performance given in Marks' Opera House last night by Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., was an unqualified success and was greeted by a crowded house. Lack of space forbids extended mention.

We learn that the Western Live Stock company has rented the Crowley ranch located near Laytonville for three years at a rental of $500 a year. Already over 250 head of cattle are grazing upon it.

Last Monday afternoon Mrs. Wm. Held accidentally fell from a step-ladder and dislocated her shoulder, which occurred at her residence near the depot. A doctor was summoned and the fracture set in place. She is now doing well.

Monday night's train was nearly two hours late on account of a delay a short distance below Petaluma. A schooner was in the act of passing through the drawbridge at low water mark and got stuck in the mud. The boat was not released until high tide set in.

R. F. Sherwood, P. O. Bishop and W. C. Ward, three substantial citizens from over Manchester way, were in town last week attending court in the capacity of jurors. The two first named gentlemen returned home on Monday, while Mr. Ward went to San Francisco.

The management of the Ukiah Mercantile Co. wishes to state to the public that their firm is still in business and will continue so during the coming season. We are not authority for the published statement that their business had been sold.

UKIAH MERCANTILE CO.

Please bear in mind that the biggest and gayest ball of the season will take place at Marks' Opera house on next Wednesday evening, Feb. 22d. The affair will be under the auspices of the Fifth Regiment band, U. R. K. P., assisted by the California Northwestern band of Willits.

We wish to remind our city and county readers of THE DISPATCH to the fact that Dr. H. Ehrlich, the eminent specialist, will visit Ukiah on Friday of next week and will be at the Cecille Hotel for just one day. This great and skillful doctor has been here before, and a number of people in this vicinity can attest to his ability as a successful specialist. If you are in need of his services, don't forget the date of his visit.

The announcement we made last week of Messrs. Hutchinson & Roeder buying out the Ukiah Mercantile Co. establishment and to take possession last Monday, is premature. The deal was made but fell through, it is said, on account of a defect in the lease in the building. Messrs. Hutchinson & Roeder went to San Francisco a few days ago for the purpose of buying a stock of furniture, etc., and will open a new store in the building where Mr. Eversole now is as soon as that gentleman vacates and occupies his new store building almost directly opposite.

Senate Committee Coming

Senator Sanford and a special Senate committee will arrive in Ukiah Saturday at 10 o'clock on a special train and proceed at once to the local State hospital to investigate that institution. The Senatorial party will leave at five o'clock for Santa Rosa where they will remain over night and proceed to Glen Ellen next day to visit the Home for the Feeble Minded. The party is composed of the following: Senators J. B. Sanford and wife, of Ukiah; E. F. Woodward and wife, of Santa Rosa; C. Coggins and son, of Le Moine; A. E. Muenter and son, of Stockton; G. H. Savage and wife, of Los Angeles; J. H. Nelson and wife, of San Francisco; J. A. McKee and wife, of Sacramento; C. W. Pendleton and wife, of Los Angeles; E. H. Leake and daughter, of San Bernardino; M. L. Ward, of San Diego; Frank Markey, of San Francisco and Sergeant-at-Arms J. L. Martin and wife, of Oakland.

Lambert Goes to Prison for Life

Lambert, the accomplice of J. W. Finley, has had his trial, commencing Saturday last in the Superior Court.

The same identical witnesses testified to the same facts which convicted Finley for the murder of old man Drake last March.

The prisoner testified that his true name was William S. Owens, a native of South Carolina, and was an enlisted soldier in the war with Spain.

The jury was out from Saturday night until three o'clock Sunday afternoon without agreeing upon a verdict—the jury standing 10 for a verdict of murder in the first degree, and one for murder in the second degree. To this the 10 jurors finally agreed if the 12th juror would agree to it, he holding out for an acquital or conviction of robbery.

Just before the trial Lambert signified his willingness to plead guilty to murder in the second degree, but the district attorney was opposed to it. Accordingly, on Monday morning Lambert plead guilty, and in the afternoon of the same day Judge White sentenced the prisoner to San Quentin prison for the balance of his life.

The Covelo Chamber of Commerce

Covelo is taking strides ahead now that the reservation is to be opened for settlement. When that time arrives the present hamlet of Covelo will naturally grow into a populous and prosperous inland city. Last week a Chamber of Commerce was organized and the following officers elected:

President, Dr. Liftchild; Vice-President, Frank Thomson; Secretary, Fred. Loring; Treasurer, Con. H. Goldberg.

Local questions of importance were discussed at the last meeting; the drainage of Round Valley and the taxing of all Sacramento valley sheep brought there by the thousands for a few months during good feeding time; to prepare articles to be published in the DISPATCH and other county seat papers, and other information of general importance pertaining to that section.

WORK BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE

Only 1825 Bills, Resolutions and Amendments Demanding Attention

SACRAMENTO, February 15.

The Legislature is surely up to its eyes in work if that expression may be used in such connection. It is absolutely impossible to consider all the measures before both houses and when adjournment is taken many good bills will die on the files.

So far there have been introduced in the Senate 775 bills, 35 constitutional amendments, 5 joint resolutions and 13 concurrent resolutions. About 70 of these bills have passed the Senate, 12 of which have reached the Governor's office.

In the Assembly there have been introduced 950 bills, 21 constitutional amendments, 7 joint resolutions and 18 concurrent recolutions. Of this number 146 bills have passed the Assembly and been sent to the Senate 12 of which have reached the Governor. So it can be readily seen that there is much work to be done.

With my own bills I have been very successful, having passed eight of them, all of which are well up on the file in the Assembly. One of them has passed the Assembly and is now in the hands of the Governor. I expect to have four others in his possession before the end of the week.

The Senate Committee will doubtless visit the Mendocino State Hospital next Saturday. J. B. S.

A. L. Whiting Suicides

Coroner John Taylor was summoned to Boonville on Saturday last to hold an inquest over the body of Abraham L. Whiting.

The particulars of the immediate cause of the sad affair are not obtainable except that Whiting and his wife had some words over a trivial matter on Saturday morning and he then and there threatened to commit suicide. Mrs. Whiting thought little of his threat at the time. A little later on the petty quarrel was resumed, and in a moment of passsion he took a bottle of something out of his pocket saying he would soon end this matter. He immediately started for the kitchen and there deliberately swallowed the contents of the bottle, which proved to be strychnine and in less than three hours from the time he swallowed the poison he was dead.

Mr. Whiting leaves a widow and four small helpless children, but did not leave them in want. It is only a short time ago that he bought the Henry Wightman place in Anderson Valley, one of the finest homes in that section.

N. S. G. W.

Last Tuesday evening Ukiah Parlor, No. 71, Native Sons of the Golden West, which has been dormant since 1890, was reorganized. The new charter list contains upward of fifty names, every trade, business and profession being well represented. The parlor was instituted by A. Hocker, Olympus, No. 189, acting as Past Grand President, and J. E. Hayden of Mt. Tamalpais Parlor, acting as Grand President, assisted by A. J. Thatcher, J. R. Mathews and H. B. Smith. After the institution of the parlor, the following were elected and installed as the officers of the parlor for the ensuing term: A. J. Thatcher, Past President; J. L. McNab, President; E. L. Cunningham, First Vice-President; H. B. Smith, Second Vice-President; Wm. Lucas, Third Vice-President; Geo. H. Rhodes, Secretary; J. A. Jamison, Jr., Treasurer; J. R. Crockett, Marshal; A. P. Brunner, F. M. Roeder and Louis Hofman, Trustees; E. J. Mathews, Inside Sentinel; Grover Lynch, Outside Sentinel, and Dr. S. L. Rea, Surgeon.

Among the visitors and members of other parlors present were Grand Secretary C. H. Turner, Grand Trustee J. Emmett Hayden, G. L. Smith of Sequoia No. 160; J. R. Mathews of California No. 1.

Committees whose business it will be to submit plans, by-laws and the details of the complete organization were ordered appointed and will report at a meeting to be held tonight.

Besides the names already mentioned the following constitute the list of charter members: W. M. Laughlin, G. E. Jamison, Maurice Hirsch, M. N. Donohoe, H. M. Onyett, H. J. Waugh, A. L. Gibson, V. R. Seawell, Ben Hoffman, R. B. Cleveland, F. C. Handy, L. E. Crawford, L. M. Hildreth, B. Edwards, R. L. Hutchison, J. J. Duncan, F. H. Waugh, L. J. Cox, Jas. Laughlin, V. C. McClure, J. B. Waltrip, C. L. Crawford, W. A. Ford, E. E. Clark, F. E. Anker, W. D. L. Held, F. E. Rea, E. B. Gibson, Edw. Gambrel, E. C. Chesebro, C. M. Mannon, W. A. Grover, L. C. McCloud, A. C. McKenzie.

After addresses by the grand officers and other members the meeting was closed, the feeling being general that the new parlor makes its beginning under the most favorable auspices.

Hop Growing

L. D. Jacks of Santa Rosa, who has five hop yards already and intends planting another ninety acres this year, makes the following statement concerning the cost of production, the method of culture and the average profit in hops, which in view of the fact that many land owners are this year contemplating the raising of hops who never tried it before, will make interesting reading. The following is a part of Mr. Jacks' statement:

"Good hop roots range in price from $5 to $7.50 per thousand and are planted in February and March. In the hills, which are usually placed eight feet apart each way, two roots are planted; or if the roots should be a little faulty or dry, three are sometimes put in each hill. The best soil is black loam or alluvial.

"The regulation poles on which the vines are to be trained cost about $30 per thousand. There will be 680 poles on every acre of hops, if planted eight feet apart. The modern trellis system of poling and wiring, in which large sawed poles and heavy wire are used, cost complete not more than $65 per acre and will last 25 years.

"According to many years experience of growers and dealers, the cost of raising, drying and baling the hops so that they are ready for the market is 8½ cents per pound; whatever figure is received above this is clear profit. An average yield per acre is 1500 to 2000 pounds to the acre.

"About one-half a crop is picked from the vines the same year that they are planted and every year thereafter a full crop, without the necessity of poling and planting. There should be a 30-foot kiln for every 20 acres of hops, and a cooler, 40x60 feet. Suppose that you have 40 acres of hops, the two kilns, cooling room, press and stoves and all other necessary apparatus complete would cost not to exceed $2500.

"Many yards in a favorable year have produced 2000 pounds of hops to the acre. Hops in 1904 brot 25 cents per pound and over. At such a rate of yielding, at such a price a person owning 20 acres would receive just $10,000 for his crop. Deduct the cost of production, 8½ cents per pound on 40,000 pounds and you have left a neat profit of $3400, or $170 per acre clear profit. How much more do you realize on your hay or fruit?"

F. A. Falkenberg, head consul of the Woodmen of the World, died in Los Angeles Wednesday.

Californy Spring in Janooary

Written for THE DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT

By Lynn C. Doyle.

Talk erbout yer Christmas time, when frosty
breezes blow,
An' slug erbout yer "shuckin' bees" an' sleighin'
in the snow,
Er preach erbout the times yer went a skatin'
on the ice,
When "Hanner" scooched up *closter an'* you
kissed 'er once er twice.
Er tell us 'bout yer comin' home at seventeen
o'clock,
The "frost upon the punk'in, an' the fodder in
the shock,"
But here we have a blessin' thet Mizzourians
kaint 'nock,
That's a Californy Spring in Janooary.

'Way out thar in Kansas when the blizzard
comes erouu'
A turnin' water inter ice an' *freezin'* up the
grouu',
Out here in California whur the golden poppy
grows,
You reach out thru yer winder an' you pick a
Christmas rose
An' California animals air huntin' up the
shade,
An' native sons, in bungalows, air sippin'
lemonade.
Talk erbout yer climate, *well*—the finest ever
made,
Is er Californy Spring in Janooary.

When the golden sun is stretchin' shadders f'um
the west,
An' turtle doves air sighin' fer a partner in the
nest,
An' yallerhammer peckin' holes fer ac'rns in the
trees,
An' perfumes ov the violets air floatin' on the
breese,
The hornet whets his stinger an' he cums out in
the sun
The days air full ov sunshine an' the nights air
full ov fun.
Well—I hope I'll find a climate when my earthly
toil is done
Like er Californy Spring in Janooary.

The following is told of a Los Angeles man whose mother-in-law was *alarmingly ill. One night the physi*cian shook his head and said impressively: "She has got to go to a hot climate. Mind, I don't mean a warm place, but a hot one." The son-in-law disappeared, but soon emerged from the basement carrying an axe. Handing it the doctor, he exclaimed: "Here, you do it! I can't!"

Our certificates of title embrace an investigation of the law as applied to each particular case. Ukiah Guarantee Abstract and Title Co.

Impotent Revenge

A story is told of Horace Greeley that an acquaintance got offended at one of his articles in the Tribune, went to the office and stopped his subscription. Later in the day he met Mr. Greeley and said: "I've stopped your paper." "There must be some mistake," replied Greeley, "for I just came from the office, and, when I left, the presses were running as usual, the clerks were as busy as ever, the compositors were hard at work, and the business was going on the same as yesterday and the day before."

"Oh!" said the old subscriber, "I didn't mean that I had stopped the paper; I stopped only my copy of it, because I didn't like one of your editorials." "Pshaw!" retorted Greeley; "if you expect to control the utterance of the Tribune by the purchase of one copy a day, or if you think to find any newspaper worth reading which will never express convictions at right angles with your own, you are doomed to disappointment."

Hop poles for sale at the Pitner and the Douglass ranches. Call on or address, John O. Eldred, Ukiah. tf

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of John A. McGrath, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, John Taylor, administrator of the Estate of John A. McGrath, *Deceased, to the creditors of* and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his office in Ukiah City, Mendocino County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said County of Mendocino.

Dated this 25th day of January, 1905.

JOHN TAYLOR,
Administrator of the Estate of John A. McGrath, Deceased.

MCNAB & HIRSCH,
Attorneys for Administrator. j27

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Nina Davidson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Wm. A. Davidson, administrator of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to J. W. Preston, attorney at law, at his office in the Old Law Building, Ukiah, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated January 17th, 1905.

WM. A. DAVIDSON,
Administrator of Estate of Nina Davidson, Deceased.

J. W. PRESTON,
Attorney for administrator.—ja20-5t

Order to Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not be Made and Ordering Publication.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nina Davidson, Deceased,

Wm. A. Davidson, the Administrator of the Estate of Nina Davidson, *Deceased, having* filed his petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of all or some part of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth.

It is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on MONDAY, the 13th day of March, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Courtroom of said Superior Court, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administrator to sell all or so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary.

And that a copy of this order be published at least once a week, for four successive weeks, in the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and published in said Mendocino County.

Dated February 9th, A. D. 1905.

J. Q. WHITE,
Judge of the Superior Court.

J. W. PRESTON,
Attorney for Administrator.

Ordinance No. 141

An Ordinance establishing a Public Pound and prescribing limits within which it shall be unlawful for animals to run at large, in Sanel Precinct

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino, State of California, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby established a Public Pound, within the boundaries hereinafter described as the limits within which horses, mules, cattle, swine, sheep and goats *shall not* run at large

Sec 2. It shall be, and is hereby made unlawful, for any horses, mules cattle, swine, sheep or goats to run at large within that portion of Mendocino County embraced within the following described boundaries, to wit:

A strip of land two miles wide and being one mile on each side of the center of the channel of Russian River, and extending from the Largo Bridge on the North to the South boundary line of the Sanel Grant, and that portion of the County embraced within said boundaries is hereby declared and established a Public Pound District to be known as the Hopland Pound District.

Sec. 3. The office of Pound Master of said Pound District is hereby created, to be filled by appointment by this Board, and the incumbent thereof shall hold office at the pleasure of said Board and until his successor is appointed and qualified. Said Pound Master, before assuming the duties of his office, shall take the usual oath of office, and shall execute to the *State of Cali*fornia, a bond in the penal sum of $1000, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duty as such Pound Master, with sufficient sureties to be approved by the Judge of the Superior Court of said County.

Sec. 4. An animal is running at large within the meaning of this ordinance whenever it is found upon any public highway in said district, unless the animal is at the time being led, driven, ridden, tied, herded, watched or cared for by some person in charge thereof.

Sec. 5. The duties of said Pound Master are as follows:

(a) To take up, impound and keep until taken by their owners or until sold, any animals hereinbefore mentioned found running at large within said pound district.

(b) To furnish a proper place for keeping animals impounded by him, and to properly feed and care for them while in his care and while so impounded.

(c) To forthwith notify the owner of such animal (if he knows who the owner is) that the same has been impounded.

(d) If an impounded animal is not called for and taken away within three days from its being taken up and impounded, he *shall* post for at least five days in three of the most public places of the district (one of which shall be at the Post Office at Hopland) a notice that he will sell said animals at public auction at a time and place to be named in said notice, to the highest bidder for cash and a correct description of said animal and of any marks and brands thereon shall be set forth in the notice. At any time before the sale the animal may be taken by its owner upon payment of all fees due the Pound Master.

(e) To attend the sale at the time and place named in the notice and have the animal or animals to be sold present, and to sell the same to the highest bidder at public auction for cash, and after deducting the fees to which he is entitled for taking up, keeping and selling the animal, he shall pay the proceeds of *said* sale into the County Treasury.

Sec. 6. The Pound Master may charge and is entitled to receive for his own compensation from the owner of an animal impounded by him or to retain from the proceeds of the sale thereof the following fees (but no fee or expense shall be allowed as a charge against the County.)

For each head of horses, mules, cattle or swine, the sum of $1.00, except sucking young animals taken up with their mother for which the fee shall be 25 cents and for sucking pigs taken up with the mother only 10 cents each. For each head of sheep or goats 25 cents.

For keeping, feeding and caring for while impounded each head of horses, cattle or mules 25 cents per day and for each head of goats, sheep or swine 15 cents per day.

For selling any animal 10 per cent of the price for which it is sold.

Sec. 7. No animal shall be sold in less than 5 days from the time it is taken up, nor less than 5 days from the first posting of notices of sale A sale may be postponed by posting notices of the postponement in the same manner and place as the notices of sale were posted.

Sec. 8. Any person entitled to the possession of an animal or charged with the care or keeping thereof is the owner thereof within the meaning of this ordinance. The *Pound Master* has a lien upon any animals taken up by him for the payment of his fees herein provided for. Whenever the Pound Master knows or has good reason to believe or learns that some certain person is the owner of an animal taken up by him, he shall as soon as he so learns, notify such owner that he has taken up such animal, if the whereabouts of such owner are known to him. Such notice may be given by U. S. mail or personally.

This ordinance shall go into effect twenty days from the date of its passage, and prior to the expiration of said twenty days shall be published at least once in the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published in the said County.

Until further order of the Board George Prescott shall be Pound Master of the District.

Passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino, this 7th day of February, 1905.

J. C. LANE,
Chairman.

Attest:

HALE McCOWEN,
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

C. E. GANTER, Deputy.

The vote on the passage of the above and foregoing ordinance was as follows:

Ayes: M. L. Gibson, A. J. Fairbanks, L. Barnard and J. C. Lane.

Noes: None.

Absent D. H. Lawson.

Attest:

HALE McCOWEN, County Clerk.
By C. E. GANTER, Deputy.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of George S. Donnell, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of George S. Donnell, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his office in Ukiah City, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated at Ukiah City, January 25, 1905.

JOHN TAYLOR,
Administrator of the Estate of George S. Donnell, Deceased.

ARTHUR J. THATCHER,
Attorney for said administrator.
Ukiah, California. ja27-5t

Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Gottfried Spycher, Deceased.

John Taylor, Administrator of the Estate of Gottfried Spycher, Deceased, having filed his petition herein praying for an order of sale of all the real estate of said decedent for the purposes therein set forth,

It is therefore ordered by this Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on

Monday, the 20th day of March, 1905,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court room of said Superior Court, in Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administrator to sell all of the real estate belonging to the said estate at private sale, and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and published in said Mendocino County.

Dated February 13th, 1905.

J. Q. WHITE,
Judge.

Thomas, Pemberton & Thomas,
Attorneys for Estate.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California

In the matter of the estate of Mary A. Barney, *Deceased.*

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance with an order of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, made on the 14th day of November, 1904, in the matter of the above entitled estate, the undersigned, the administrator of said estate, will sell at private sale, for cash, gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by the said Superior Court, on or after 10 o'clock A. M. of

Monday, the 20th day of February, 1905,

at the law office of J. W. Preston, in the Old Law Building in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, State of California, all of the right, title, interest and estate of the said Mary A. Barney, deceased, at the time of her death, and all of the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has, either by operation of law or otherwise, acquired since her death, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Being an undivided one-half interest of, in and to the N. ½ of S. E. ¼, Sec. 7; S. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼; N. W. ¼ of S. W. ¼ of Sec. 8, T. 24 N., R. 10 W., M. D. M.

Sealed bids for the purchase of said lands will be received at the law office of said J. W. Preston, on or before ten o'clock A. M. of the 20th day of February, 1905. Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the undersigned on the day of sale, balance to be paid on the confirmation of said sale by said Superior Court

GEORGE H. BARNEY,
Administrator of the Estate of Mary A. Barney, Deceased.

Dated January 25th, 1905.

J. W. PRESTON,
Attorney for Estate.

Order to Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not be Made

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF MENDOCINO County, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Julia Harrison, Deceased.

John Taylor, administrator of the estate of Julia Harrison, deceased, having this 19th day of January, 1905, filed in this Court and presented to this Court his verified petition praying for an order of the sale of the real property of said estate situate in Mendocino County, State of California, for the purposes therein mentioned, and it appearing to the Court that it is necessary that said real property be sold in order to pay the debts of decedent, the debts, charges and expenses of administration, and that it is for the best interests of said estate that the property be sold at private sale:

It is ordered, by the said Court, that all persons interested in the said estate of said deceased, appear before the said Superior Court on

Monday, the 20th day of February, 1905,

at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court Room in the Court House in Ukiah City, Mendocino County, State of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said John Taylor, administrator of the estate of Julia Harrison, deceased, to sell the real property petitioned to be sold or so much thereof as is necessary, at private sale.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published for at least four successive weeks in the Mendocino Dispatch-Democrat, a newspaper printed and published in Mendocino County, State of California, prior to said February 20, 1905.

Dated this January 19th, 1905.

J. Q. WHITE,
Judge of the Superior Court.

MCNAB & HIRSCH,
Attorneys for Administrator.

Summons

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

C. C. Smith,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Ervin Sally, and unknown persons,
Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Mendocino, state of California, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Mendocino.

J. W. PRESTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

The people of the State of California send greeting to Ervin Sally, and Unknown Persons, Defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

That the object of said suit is to determine the adverse claim of said known defendant to the real property hereinafter described and also the persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto. The real property the subject of this action is situate, lying and being in Mendocino County, California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit: S. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼; N. W. ¼ of S. W ¼ of Section 11, Twp. 16 N., R. 13 W., M. D. M.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or she will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in complaint.

SEAL. Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, this 7th day of December, A. D., 1904.

HALE McCOWEN, Clerk.

J. W. PRESTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.—de23-9t

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Just received direct from the best makers in America the choicest line of Muslin Underwear ever displayed in Ukiah. To give early buyers a chance, the entire line will be placed

ON SALE SAURDAY, FEBRUARY 18th, FOR ONE WEEK

These few sample prices can not do the beautiful creations justice

Good Muslin Skirts, three tucks, H. S. hem, deep flounce, worth 50, price 39c

Good Muslin Skirt, two flounces, with wide lace trimming, worth 75, price 60c

Good Muslin Skirt, two quadruple rows of tucking, triple H. S., worth 85c, price 65c

Fine Muslin Skirt, wide flounce, four rows tucking, wide torchon lace, good value for $1.00, price 75c

At $1.00
Fine Muslin Skirt, 13 inch lawn flounce, 3 rows lace insertion, and lace edging.

At $1.25
Muslin Skirt, lawn flounce, 5 tucks and wide emb. edging.

At $1.50
Fine Muslin Skirt, wide lawn flounce, dust ruffle, 9 tucks, wide emb. insertion, deep lace edging.

At $2.00
Fine Cambric Skirt, 18 inch flounce, dust ruffle, 2 rows 2½ inch linen insertion.
Also, Fine Cambric Skirt, 21 inch flounce, dust ruffle, 12 H. S. tucks, extra wide and good emb. edging.

Ladies' Muslin Gowns, tucked and H. S. yoke, emb. edging, good value at 65c

Good Muslin Gown, H. S. tucks and nice emb. insertion, cheap at 85c

Excellent Muslin Gown, H. S. tucking, two linen insertions, lace edging and ruffles. Big money's worth at $1.25

Corset Covers from 25c up. Drawers from 25c up. A fine line of Chemises in short and skirt lengths.

Remember these are all New Goods

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ASK FOR TRADING STAMPS

MENDOCINO COUNTY IN BRIEF

NEWSY NOTES FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Hopland

HOPLAND, Feb. 14th.—Last Saturday evening seemed to be an evening of parties, one being held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hood, near Fountain, and one at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Craven in Hopland, and a social dance at Largo.

J. S. Boyd has secured the contract to complete the new "Vassar House" and will begin operations as soon as the material arrives.

This is St. Valentine's Day. We were reminded of the fact at mail time. We got seven, and of all the mugs that ever adorned the wall of a rogue's gallery, we got 'em. Some hit and some missed. Those that hit we carried immediately and placed carefully in the stove and gritted our teeth. Those that missed we tacked upon the walls of our "studio-sanctum" as monuments to some poor, misguided imbecile. One graduate of Glen Ellen sent us a valuable specimen of the lithographer's art consisting of mostly head, with one ear and a nose that rambled off aimlessly like, into space, with two or three whiskers on it. It was entitled "The Miser." That missed. We are no miser, for the largest sum of money we ever had in our own name was three dollars and eighty-five cents, but that was years ago. Another educated hog, who could have a home in Glen Ellen if he could only pass the intellectual examination, sent us a symphony in green and purple entitled "The Dude," with a head like the little end of a watermelon. The color scheme was bum and the press work was worse—the register was awful. We will ask one question right here, was "Falstaff" or Sir Toby Belch a dude? if so we're him. If a man who wears one red sock and one black one, who combs his hair only when he goes to church and who never goes to church and who shines his shoes with taller and shaves himself with a case-knife is a dude, then the valentine hit, otherwise the sender of such is a victim of brain fag and a sufferer from hallucinations. And still another misfit idiot favored us with a premeditated spasm in brown and dark-blue. This one was called "The Common Drunk." That missed, as our last drink of intoxicating beverage was taken last May, and besides we are no *common* drunk, for when we ARE drunk at all, we are uncommonly so. We have nearly all of our things packed and expect to start most any day now. We will travel until we find a place where they have no comic valentines and will locate permanently, so if you don't hear from us again don't blame us, but blame the P. M. General for allowing the U. S. mail to be used for immoral purposes. We also received a perfumed *billet doux* from the tax collector of Ukiah. Of course, Mr. Wright, you had a right to write, but is it right to charge a man (who is surrounded by every luxury that poverty can furnish) four bits a month for breathing Mendocino ozone? For the poor privilege of existing? Mr. Wright also states, in his comic valentine, that the aforesaid bill will be a lien on all personal property. Now here is where we have him. If he attempts to lean on any of our household furniture he is apt to break something besides the owner. We have, after a two years' residence in Mendocino county, accumulated some furniture, to wit: three nail kegs and a tomato can. We know the kegs can never stand a can but perhaps the tomato can (excuse this ossified pun).

POISONS IN FOOD.

Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of dyspepsia that will convince you. Dr. King's New Life Pills are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poisons of undigested food—or money back. 25ct at J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy. Try them.

Point Arena

POINT ARENA, Feb. 14.—We are sorry to chronicle the severe sickness of W. M. Booth who has been afflicted with heart trouble for some time.

Some of our sports should remember that it is unlawful to catch trout these days, either in tidewater or in streams.

The local Foresters have had their building repaired of late. A coat of paint would add to its appearance.

Glad to say that Mrs. Jane Antrim is very much improved in health of late. For one of her age she holds out remarkably.

We are sorry to chronicle the death of Mrs. Herman Rochstroh, which occurred in town on Thursday of last week.

W. M. Booth has been making some creditable improvements on the house he recently purchased. It is now a very good looking building compared to what it was a few weeks ago.

The friction wheel at the oil well in some manner broke a few days ago and operations have been suspended until a new wheel can be installed.

Rev. E. J. Rich, for a number of years pastor of the Mendocino Presbyterian church, and who was very well known in this town, died last week in Oakland. He was 50 years of age.

Our public school will open next Monday and a full attendance is desired. Parents should bear in mind that the apportionment of school moneys is determined very largely by the average attendance of scholars at the school and we should receive our full quota of the amount properly due us for educational purposes.

AFRAID OF STRONG MEDICINES.

Many people suffer for years from rheumatic pains, and prefer to do so rather than take the strong medicines usually given for rheumatism, not knowing that quick relief from pain may be had simply by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm and without taking any medicine internally. For sale by J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy.

Fort Bragg

FORT BRAGG, Feb. 14.—The Edison lights in the store of R. A. Hendricks look very inviting while illuminated. The attraction is quite a novelty here.

The Rebekahs are now actively engaged making preparations for the entertainment and ball to be given on Washington's birthday, the 22d inst. It will no doubt be the event of the season.

Andreani Bros. new store looks very neat and attractive. They are getting their share of the trade.

Mrs. Iola Shultz, who formerly lived in this town, has got a divorce from her husband, J. C. Shultz.

Oliver Joy sufferer a stroke of apoplexy week before last. His entire left side is completely paralyzed which renders him almost entirely helpless. He is in the hospital under treatment and hopes are entertained of his recovery in time.

Albion

ALBION, Feb. 14.—Geo. V. Hill and family have gone to San Francisco to live. Mr. Hill now has a position with the Port Costa Lumber Co.

The new school house is looming up.

Very little sickness in this community just now. The grip, which afflicted a whole lot of people in this section, is now disappearing.

Get Miller's three-seated surrey for funerals. tf

Willits

WILLITS, Feb. 16.—There was a full house at the Minstrel Show in Odd Fellows' hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 9th. The boys from Ukiah acquitted themselves to the entire satisfaction of the audience. The dance after the show was highly enjoyed.

Willits came near having another big fire. On last Saturday morning the furniture store of H. C. Mohn caught fire and had it not been for the prompt aid of the fire company the building would surely have been burned to the ground. Mr. Mohn's stock exclusive of the building, was valued at about $7000; insurance about $2800. Mrs. Wirgand's millinery stock in the same building was damaged by water and its removal, her loss will be about $150.

Simon Boos got hurt last week in the shingle department of the Comptche mill. His foot had to be amputated.

Your correspondent noted the old, reliable and up-to-date newspaper, THE DISPATCH, with its usual enterprise, had a regular reporter in attendance at the minstrel show taking notes.

The Hotel Willits' bowling alley is offering cash prizes during the month of February. Both ladies and gentlemen are included.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Pinole and family have departed for Sonoma county where they will make their home in the future.

The Women's Improvement Club is now a reality. A meeting was held a short time ago and a regular set of officers elected. Now for business, ladies.

The building boom continues. New houses can be seen going up in any part of our young and growing city.

Mr. Hall has lately completed the survey of the Mast ranch, and that place is now laid out into five and ten acre lots suitable for fine homes, where one can make a living in the cultivation of the land by raising fruit and garden truck.

Mrs. Spencer is back again and has resumed her place as manager of the local telephone office. She had an enjoyable vacation in San Francisco.

THE BEST PHYSIC.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and certain to act, always use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy.

Hardy Creek Notes

HARDY CREEK, Feb. 14.—The mill and woods commenced operations today with a full force and a bright outlook for a prosperous season for the company. Dave Alberts is general manager. The mill force is handled by H. Guptal while affairs in the woods are conducted by the popular foreman, Andrew McKay. At present the two forces dine together, making a very long walk for the woodsmen. A new camp will be built just as soon as the railroad is completed to where it will be located.

Hardy Creek, which is about six miles long, is very thickly timbered with small redwoods and firs, the large timber having been taken out many years ago by tie contractors.

Dave Gill, of De Haven, which is but three miles from here, is making preparations to start up next month to Howard Creek and Wagers Creek getting ready to commence operations.

Bruce Markle and Geo. W. Gracey are seen in this vicinity quite frequently and rumor has it that they are about to open up a saw mill near Lucky Bill's place. This large gulch is located but one mile east of here.

Covelo

COVELO, Feb. 14.—The grip, which has been very prevalent in this community, is disappearing. Very few people are now suffering from this dreaded disease.

The Washington's Birthday dance to take place at White's hall on the evening of February 21st promises to be a swell affair and the young folks will be numerous on that occasion.

Will and Charley Lovell are now in partnership in the blacksmithing business in our town. Of course they will succeed.

Main street looks much better now after being graveled.

G. N. Hancock and Lem Salladay took a drove of over 150 hogs to McCombs' place at Hay Shed basin. Hancock has rented the ranch.

The Round Valley Stock Growers' Association had a rattling big meeting here last week. The association means business and stock pilferers and thieves had better make themselves scarce in this section of the county if they know what is good for their health.

The chimney of the Masonic building burned out a week ago Saturday night and it scared a whole lot of people from the fact that it looked like a real fire. No damage.

We are told that C. B. Nash has bot Will Osborne's claim on Middle Eel river. The railroad has surveyed thru the land and Mr. Nash thinks it a good place for a summer resort.

Jacob Wattenberger's smoke house on his ranch burned to the ground the other night. He lost about $250 worth of meat.

If you have any business with a granger you must see him at night. He is too busy putting in his crops to fool away any daylight with you. If the present good weather continues two weeks longer they will have about completed their seeding. Hundreds of acres were sown early and it could not look better.

Stockmen all say they never saw stock in such fine condition nor feed so good at this time of year.

Cupid has been very busy with his little bow among our young people for the last few months, which has resulted in many marriages and it is said there are several more to follow soon. The Doctor will order a much larger supply of croup remedies next fall.

Our high school building will soon be ready for use. It is a beauty too and one of which the people of this burg have reason to be proud. Think of it! Three grammar schools and a high school in the valley and schools in every direction in the mountains.

FAILED.

All efforts have failed to find a better remedy for coughs, colds and lung troubles than Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. J. N. Patterson, Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two-thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world." Sold by E. B. Gibson.

February

Mating birds and blooming flowers
Ar not myths in land of ours;
February's sun will shine
Warmly on St. Valentine
When he keeps his ancient date
Visiting the Golden State.
Cupid heeds not lack of clothes
Where from many an opening rose
Jostling bees the honey sip,
Buzzing at each perfumed lip.
Happy lovers wander far
Down the paths which blossoms star;
Overhead the birds decline
To await St. Valentine,
Setting up their household small
Without staying for his call.
—Mary Vaughan in Sunset Magazine for February.

SICK HEADACHE.

This distressing ailment results from a disordered condition of the stomach. All that is needed to effect a cure is a dose or two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. In fact, the attack may be warded off, or greatly lessened in severity, by taking a dose of these tablets as soon as the first symptom of an attack appears. Sold by J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.
Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months
This signature, E. W. Grove on every box. 25c.

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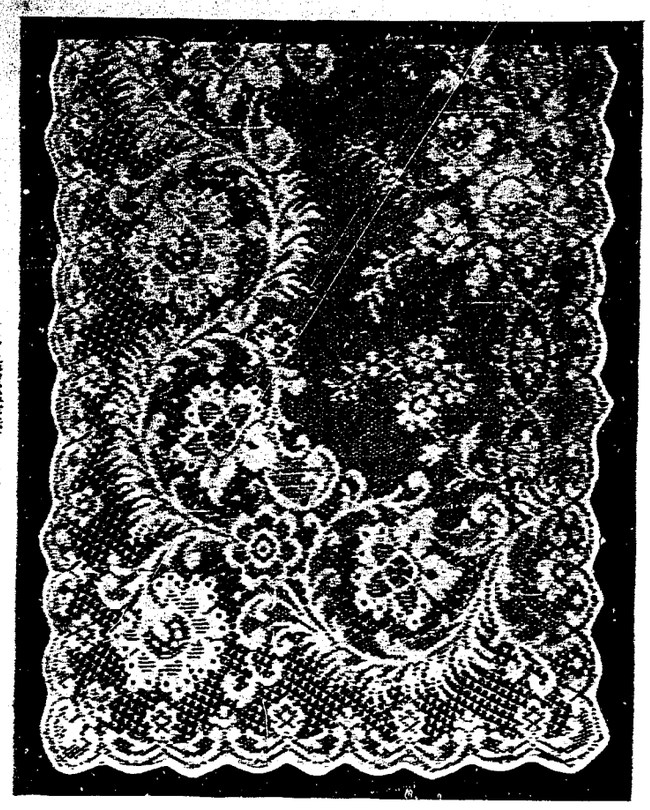

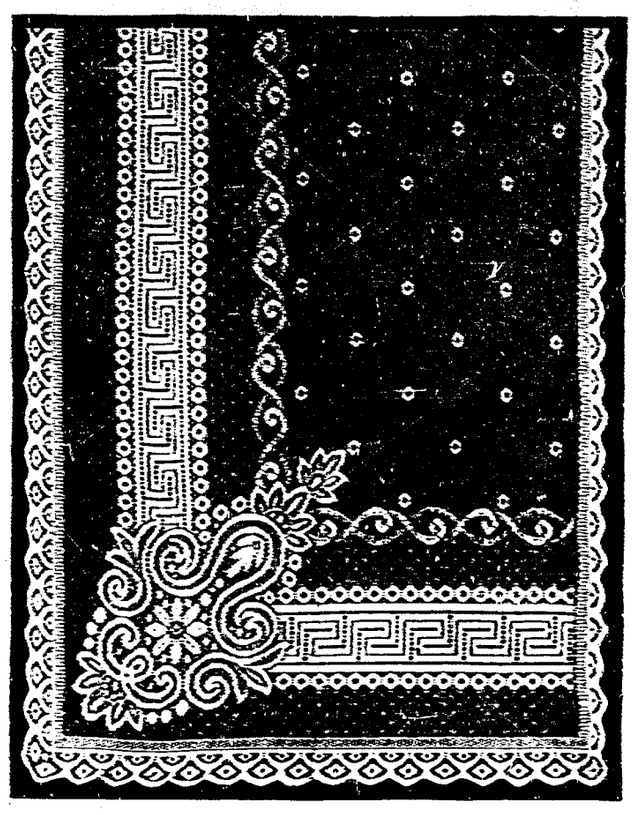

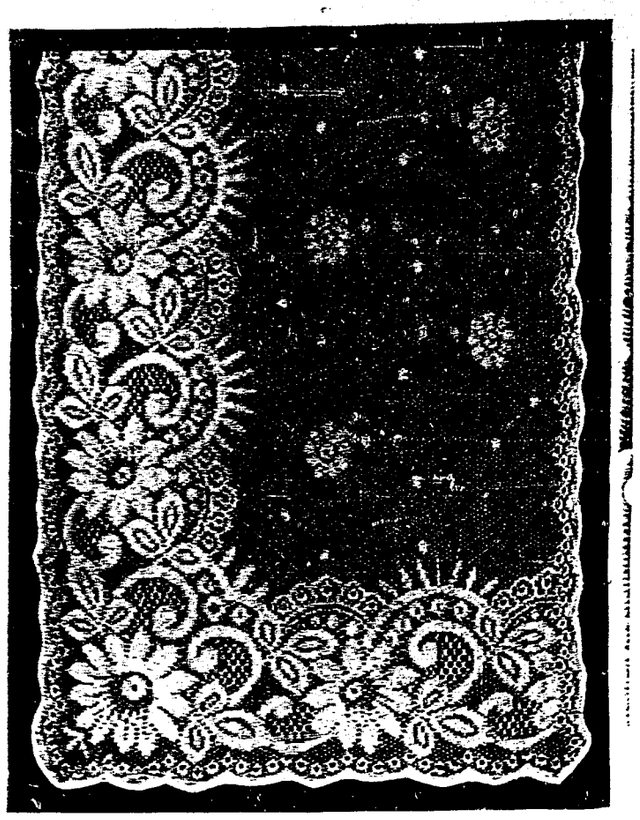

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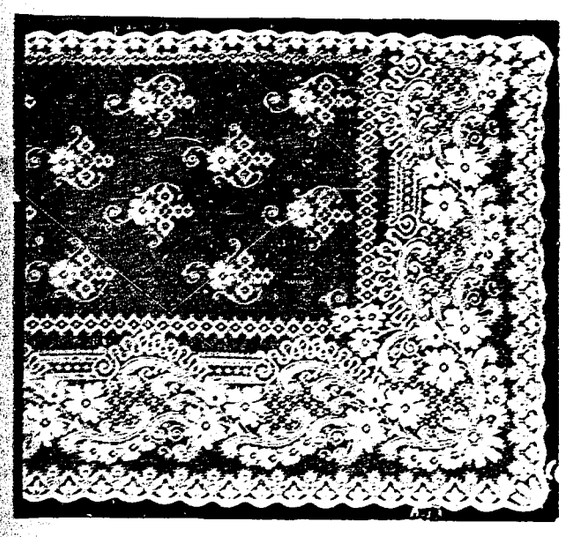

Having bought, some weeks ago, a large line of Lace Curtains from an Eastern manufacturer at about half price and they arrived this week. Some of the handsomest Curtains, in both white and ecru, that we have shown for some time. They are all line Curtains, and they range in price from $3.00 to $4.00.

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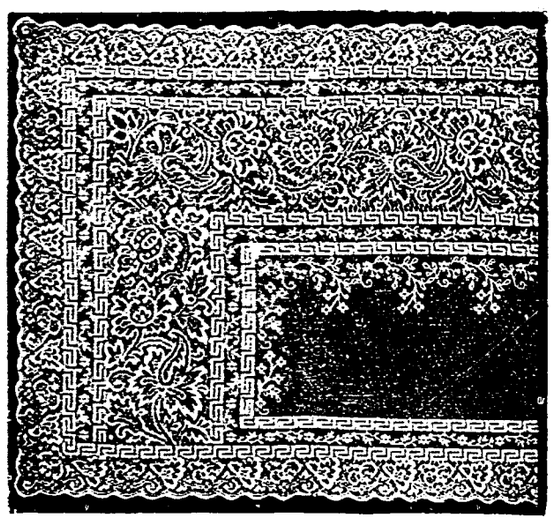

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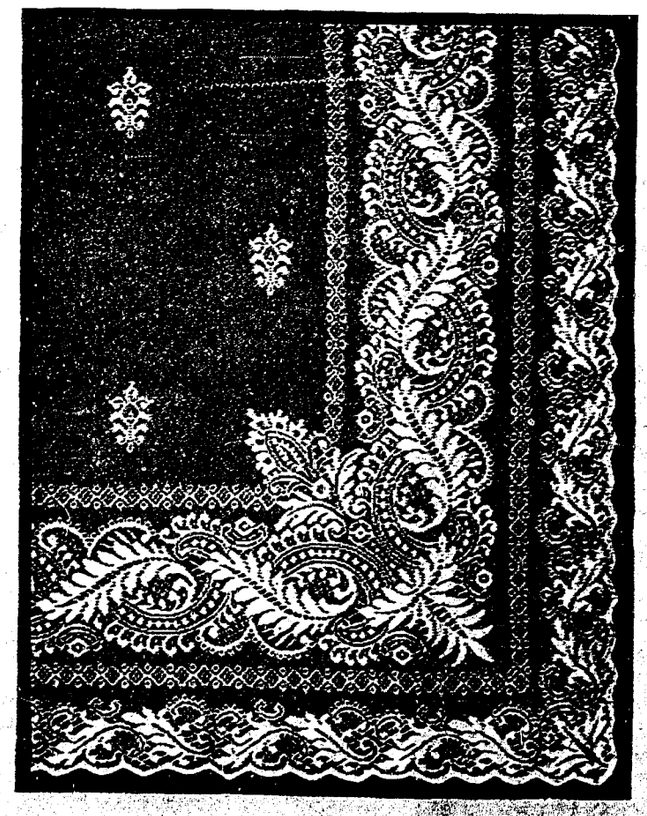

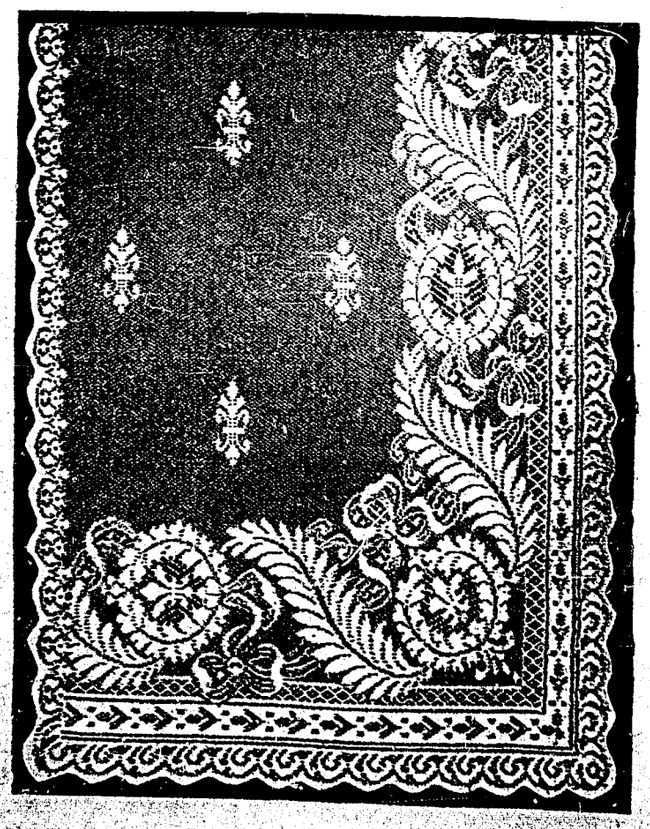

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Many Short Items Concerning Some People You Know.

S. Purday was here from Medford, Or., Monday.

Rev. F. W. Crook visited Santa Rosa Monday.

H. P. Buckman was up from Hopland Wednesday.

Alfie Graves of Hullville was in town Wednesday.

J. H. Andrews, of Petaluma, was in town Monday.

J. Cromley of Fresno was a guest at the Palace Sunday.

Remember the opera, "Snow White," March 3d.

L. C. Ross was up from Hopland Monday on business.

Giles McKee, of Fresno, was a Ukiah visitor Tuesday.

J. J. Keller was down from Willits the fore part of the week.

W. W. Johnson of Castle Garden was in Ukiah Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Pemberton were in from Inglenook Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linser of Bell Springs are in Ukiah for a few days.

J. D. Fosgett of Hopland was a Ukiah visitor on Wednesday.

A. Brown came over from Mendocino Wednesday. He reports that that town is on the improve.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Waymire were down from Willits Monday.

Geo. C. Codding, of Oakland, was one of Ukiah's Sunday visitors.

Ed Harpley, of Berkeley, was a guest at the Cecille Wednesday.

Genial John Dunnebeck is now the chief clerk of the Palace hotel.

Edw. E. Hite of Louisville, Ky., registered at the Palace Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patterson came up from Cloverdale on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall of Upper Lake regestered at the Palace Sunday.

E. Mendenhall of Upper Lake was registered at the Palace Wednesday.

Alan P. Hart of Mare Island was registered at the Cecille last Friday.

C. W. Rowe of Keeseville, N. Y., registered at the Cecille on Monday.

J. W. Burns, wife and son of Alameda were here the first of the week.

Fallas' price list better than ever this week. Notice same in this paper.

John E. Curtz, of Laytonville, paid Ukiah a business visit the first of the week.

Chas. Ware came down from Willits on Wednesday on a visit to Ukiah.

Harry Miller and Harry Thompson were up from Hopland to see the "circus."

Sheriff Smith took Wm. Lambert (Owens) to San Quentin on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Albert Stahl returned to Santa Rosa on Monday after a pleasant visit in Ukiah.

Parties desiring the services of an experienced nurse may secure same by applying to Dr. Moore.

Editor W. O. White of the Republican-Press was a business visitor in San Francisco the first of the week. Mrs. White accompanied him.

W. K. Dillingham and his son Don are back from Bear Harbor where they have been locating and estimating a lot of timber land for non-residents.

For Sale—Two Petaluma brooders and a Santa Ana incubator, 240 egg capacity, cost $50 and will be sold for $20. Apply to W. M. Cox Co. fe17-2t

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A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, thru stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's, or Bucklen's remedies, as all others are mere imitations. H. E. BUCKLEN & CO., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada. For sale by J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy.

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If I should die tonight,
And you should to come to my cold corpse and say,
Weeping and heartsick o'er my lifeless clay—
If I should die tonight,
And you should come in deepest grief and woe,
And say, "Here's that ten dollars that I owe,"
I might arise in my large white cravat,
And say, "What's that?"
If I should die tonight,
And you should come to my cold corpse and kneel,
Clasping my bier to show the grief you feel;
I say, if I should die tonight,
And you should come to me, and there, and then,
Just even hint that you would pay that ten,
I might arise the while;
But I'd drop dead again.

Ben King.

Oil Tanks are Being Erected

Work was commenced Wednesday on the foundation of the big oil tank that the California Northwestern Railway company is to erect here. The tank will be located just north of the round house. Supt. Zook was here to see that the job was properly done.

Card of Thanks

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Grand Opera Festival at the Columbia Theatre San Francisco

Musical lovers of San Francisco and surrounding cities will have the unusual opportunity during the three weeks, beginning February 27th, of hearing the Henry W. Savage English Grand Opera company, which gives a festival at the Columbia Theatre, and will during this time sing a brilliant repertory of the great master pieces in the mother tongue. This will be the most pretentious musical event of the season and it will mark the premiere of this famous organization on the Pacific coast, Mr. Savage bringing out his company of 150 people and their full grand opera orchestra of 45 men together with the entire complement of the production of each of the operas.

During the nine years of its existence the Henry W. Savage company has become one of the most notable organizations in the East and the name of its present manager and proprietor has become favorably and well-known in every conservatory and music-loving center thruout the territory where his company has annually presented a brilliant repertory of operas in English. Mr. Savage has never undertaken to send the Grand Opera company west of the Mississippi river until this year.

The repertory which has been arranged for the San Francisco festival will include some of the greatest master works of all schools, and that for the first week has unusually attractive features. Among these is a young California girl, Rita Newman, a mezzo-soprano, who, when she appears with the Savage Company, will be heard for the first time in her native state since her return from European study.

On Monday night, Feb. 27th, the season will open with a pretentious production of Verdi's master work, "Othello;" Tuesday night, Bizet's florid and passionate music story of Spanish life, "Carmen;" (this opera will be repeated again on Friday and Sunday evenings of the first week;) Wednesday night the most popular opera in the world, Wagner's "Lohengrin," will receive its first production in English in San Francisco, since the days of the Emma Juch Opera company.

Many parties are being organized to make extended visits to San Francisco in order to avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing the Savage English Grand Opera company and arrangements which will be announced later, with railroads, whereby special rates will be given to out of town music lovers who desire to attend the opera.

A MENACE TO HEALTH.

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Ukiah Minstrels at Willits

It was a very large audience that greeted the Ukiah Old Home Minstrels at the Odd Fellows' hall, Willits, on Thursday night of last week.

When the curtain rose standing room was at a premium. The assemblage expected much from the performers and the disappointment was not perceptible. The program was quite long, and our boys acquitted themselves in fine shape.

The Willits band discoursed the music, which was very good.

The minstrel performers names are as follows: M. A. Sloper, E. Meyer, Will Shattuck, Ralph Vernon, P. F. Duff, Fred Patten, Will Van Allen, G. Angle, Miss Broback, Mrs. McClure and Louie Cunningham.

The first on the program proper was the song "Old Kentucky Home" by the entire company and which received the plaudits of the audience.

The song by Duff and Miss Broback, entitled "Teasing," created considerable merriment.

The quartette, consisting of Duff, Vernon, Shattuck and Angle sang "Down on the Old Swanee" in fine style.

The cornet duet "Hear Me, Norma," by Prof. E. H. Schoaff and E. A. Keller, was an artistic musical treat to those who were fortunate enough to be present, and in turn encored.

The cake walk was a great attraction and the occasion of much merriment. The contestants were Chas. Smith and Miss Curtis; Allen Aldrich and Miss Milne; T. McGarvey and Miss Edwards; G. Stock and Mrs. McClure.

There were other songs, dances, etc., galore, but space forbids of mention.

The show was concluded by a riproaring, side-splitting farce called "A Bad Situation."

After the performance was over the hall was cleared of chairs and benches, and for nearly two hours a dance was in progress.

The success of the entertainment is due in the main to the efficient management of M. A. Sloper, manager of the company, and to G. A. Keller and Mr. Taylor of the C. N. W. band and the able co-operation of all the members.

As Active As Ever

James Brett, the veteran mill man, is now superintendent of the Davis Lumber company. He is building a railroad ten miles long for logging purposes, which will be equipped with the best rolling stock obtainable, including a new, heavy Baldwin locomotive, says the Advocate. He also intends to put in a wire chute at Rule's Landing, and has under way many important changes in the improvement of the mill.

At present he needs 300 men to hurry the contemplated improvements ahead. Mr. Brett is pressing the work ahead with all the vigor and vim of his younger years. When in San Francisco a few days ago, he bought a complete machine shop for the company he represents.

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Opera "Genevieve"

The following is the cast of characters and synopsis of the play to be given at Marks' Opera house tomorrow evening by local talent:

Genevieve, (flower girl)—Miss Bessie McGarvey
Isidore, (who mourns the loss of her sister)—Miss Lola Ebbert
Maria and Helena, (maids to Isidore)—Miss Jessie Wisecarver and Miss Effie Cooper
Grace—Miss Genevieve Matthews
Italian Flower Vender—Mr. V. Giorno

First Act—Woods near Isidore's home; first act, second scene, rude home of Genevieve and the old Italian. Second Act—Isidore's home. Third Act—Isidore's home, Genevieve reinstated.

SYNOPSIS

The scene of this Opera is laid near one of our large cities, which nine years previous was the happy home of "Genevieve," with her sister "Isidore." Genevieve, while out for a walk, was stolen by an old Italian couple to take the place of their little one who had died. She was taken by them to their rude home far away, and taught to sell flowers. They finally drifted to the scene of Genevieve's home, where the old flower vender, who had lost his wife, and had not long to live, returns her to her sister Isidore, who has daily prayed for her restoration.

The hall will be heated for this occasion.

Tickets now on sale at York & Cleland's.

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And the pi of the printer is wrong;
But the pi and the lye
He must have, though he try
Without either to worry along.

Constable's Sale

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution

E. S. WILLIAMS, Plaintiff,
vs.
J. D. JAMISON, Defendant.

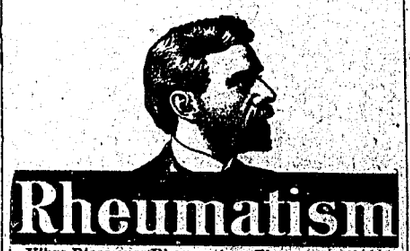
By virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice's Court of Ukiah Township, County of Mendocino, of the State of California, wherein E. S. Williams was Plaintiff, and J. D. Jamison Defendant, upon a judgment rendered the —— day of March, A. D. 1903, for the sum of One hundred and sixty Dollars, United States gold coin, besides costs and interest, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim, and interest of said Defendant, J. D. Jamison, of, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

Situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and described as an undivided ½ interest in Lots 2, 3, 5 and 6 of Sec. 1, in Twp. 17 N., R. 13 W., M. D. M., and Lot 6 of Sec. 36, in Twp 18 N., R. 13 W., M. D. M.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on the 11TH Day of MARCH, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Mendocino, at Ukiah, sell at public auction, for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, J. D. Jamison, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1905.

T. S. LYNCH,
Constable of Ukiah Township.



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Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California

In the matter of the estate of H. N. Barney, deceased

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance with an order of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, made on the 14th day of November, 1904, in the matter of the above entitled estate, the undersigned, the administrator of said estate, will sell at private sale, for cash, gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by the said Superior Court, on or after ten o'clock A. M. of

Monday, the 20th day of February, 1905,

at the law office of J. W. Preston, in the Old Law Building in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, State of California, all of the right, title, interest and estate of the said H. N. Barney, deceased, at the time of his death, and all of the right, title and interest that the said estate has, either by operation of law or otherwise, acquired since his death, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County, of Mendocino, State of California and bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Being an undivided one-half interest of, in and to the N ½ of S. E. ¼ Sec 7; S. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼; N. W. ¼ of S. W. ¼ of Sec. 8, T. 24 N., R. 10 W., M. D. M.

Sealed bids for the purchase of said lands will be received at the law office of said J. W. Preston, on or before ten o'clock A. M. of the 20th day of February, 1905. Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the undersigned on the day of sale, balance to be paid on the confirmation of said sale by said Superior Court.

GEORGE H. BARNEY,
Administrator of the Estate of H. N. Barney, Deceased.

Dated January 25th, 1905.

J. W. PRESTON,
Attorney for Estate.

Strayed or Stolen

FROM THE ELLEDGE RANCH One blue-gray mare colt, one and one half years old. Scar on left hind leg and scar over eye. Leave word here. fe17-2t

Boxin' Gloves at Podunk

Written for THE DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT

By Lynn C. Doyle.

In the quiet town ov Podunk, whur we pass the time away
Pitchin' hoss shoes, swappin' jack knives, pickin' hops, an' balin' hay,
Whur men wuz never knowed ter cuss, ner 'nock each other down,
'Till Bill Hanks cum' f'um school an' fetched the boxin' gloves tew town.
Now Bill allowed he wuzzent much; he'd fit a time er two,
But thot he'd durn nigh clean fergot jist how he used ter dew.
But ef you'll pay attention tew a fact er two f'um me
I'll dee-monstrate the frailness ov Podunk humanitee.

Naow I, when I wuz twenty-one, at boxin' tuck the lead
An' ole Judge Tucker swore I wuz ther best he ever seed.
One time I walloped Silas Jones, tell he wuz black an' blue
An' when his brother butted in, I up's an' licks the two.
An' when young Spriggs allowed he'd licked most every man he'd fit
Well, he lost his re-collecter an' he hazn't found it yit.
An' Ikey Swartz the sheeny dood, he got so tarnal peart
I pecked his solar plexus, jist ter show I wuzzent skeart.

I tuck Bill 'round the corner, an' I sez ter him, sez I,
"Now Bill you know my ree-cord, an' you know I'm purty fly,
Tho I confess I never bed a glove on either hand,
The trick ov crackin' cocoanuts I think I understand,
An' when I git in action, ef you'll watch my limber jints,
You'll hev a chance tew ketch on tew a lot ov useful pints.
Then Bill he smiled a sickly smile, an' sed I wuz a bird
An' wanted me ter teach him, an' I tuck him at his word.

Now Bill's new fangled college clo'es wuz cut so big an' wide,
Well, thinks I shucks! who cuddent lick thet little shrimp inside.
Fer Bill wuz only five foot six while I wuz six foot two
But when I say thet size dan't count, I'm talkin' straight tew you.
The boys they f'rmed a circle an' I got inside with Bill
An' pranced an' danced eround a bit ter show my dodgin' skill,
An' when the gloves wuz buttoned on, an' Bill commenced ter grin
I shet my eyes, an' teeth, an' fist, an' boldly waded in.

Well, Bill he wuz the most eel-lusive thing I ever see,
He punched my spinal costume while he stood in front ov me,
He fetched me one ercrosst ther jaw which made my optics blink,
I got so durned infurnal mad, I cuddent see er wink.
He poked me hyur, he hit me thar—I didn't count ther blows,
I fetched him one ercrosst ther fist, but struck him with my nose—
Jist then I thot I'd grab his neck, an' rassle him a spell.
I cuddent hold the iobster down ter save my soul f'um—well.

I sawed holes in the atmosfeer, retch out fer his ha'r
An' when I swung ther 'nock out jab, why Bill he wuzzent thar.
Ther next round, well—'twar like their fust, but 'bout a third ez long.
Ther floor flew up en tuck me one an' ever'thing went wrong.
I dremp I wuz a sailin' with ther planets in ther sky
An' I dremp a comet wagged his tail an' hit me in the eye.
I bed hallucinations in superlative degree
I thot ther entire zodiack wuz buttin' inter me.

Now I ain't kickin' 'bout ther scrap but I kaint see ter why
Thet Bill shu'd smile an' tell me a premeditated lie.
Fer he sed ez a pugilist he wuzzen't counted much
But by ther way he swung them props, he intimated such.
Now ef a spider leg-ged dood comes galavantin' 'round,
I shet my mouth, fer chances is, I'll run it in ther ground.
But thin men I'll communicate, ther while thers life in me,
I'll dee-monstrate ther frailness ov Podunk humanitee.

Hop Market and Prospects

The Santa Rosa hop market is firm, growers asking thirty cents for choice. There is but little doing in future contracts, eighteen cents being offered for the crop of 1905, says the Santa Rosa Press-Democrat.

Reports received show that the English and German hop markets remain firm and are unchanged.

A drop of one cent per pound in New York last week did not materially affect the sales or openings. Word from New York says that the trade is confined to small lots with speculators not disposed to sell. Sales were made as high as 36 cents for States and 35 for Pacifics.

On the Pacific Coast the market has been dull with few hops being offered for less than thirty cents for choice.

Holders of hops will be interested in the following from the Salem (Oregon) Statesman of February 3d:

Statistics upon the hop industry of the United States and the world, which are compiled from the returns in the custom house department of the government, show that the excess of hop exports for the four months period between September 1, 1904, and January 1, 1905, amounting to 56,996 bales over the imports, the value of which excess amounts to $2,681,821. The same returns show that there has been an increase in the production of beer in the United States for the year 1904 over the year 1903, according to the tax receipts in the internal revenue department, aggregating in value $978,338.41.

This report shows that the hop exports for the four months period named totalled 74,462 bales, valued at $4,059,948 while the imports were 17,466 bales aggregating a value of $1,378,127. These figures go to prove that while there is an apparent shortage in the supply for home demand in the United States, the English market has drawn very heavily upon the American product and that for every bale imported by the American brewers there were about four bales shipped out. With an apparent shortage in home supply, at the opening of the market for 1904 hops of over 40,000 bales, and the exports continue to exceed the imports at the rate shown by the figures quoted the question arises, What are the Ameriean brewers to do for hops sufficient to supply their demands? Of the total shown the leading importations for the four months stated are given as follows:

	Pounds.
New York	2,048,186
St. Louis	433,624
Cincinnati	173,654
Milwaukee	138,283
Chicago	82,868
Columbus	63,168

The United States barrel tax on beer for the year 1903 was $47,469,173.40, and for 1904, $48,447,511.81, showing an increase of $978,338.41.

In local circles there is very little news afloat. It was reported last evening that Krebs Bros. had purchased 20,000 pounds of hops from Catlin & Linn at 28½ cents, but this is the only transaction that has been reported for several days. It is estimated that there still remains about 18,000 bales of the 1904 crop in the State, of which number about 13,500 bales are held in the hands of the dealers. The market is regarded as quiet but strong.

NOT all the corrupt postoffice officials are located within the confines of this side of the big pond. A few days ago a "shortage" of $27,000 was found in a Koloa office on the island of Kauai.

A RECENT dispatch from Eureka says the big plant of the Bayside mill and lumber company, together with about 2000 acres of timber land was sold to an eastern company for half a million dollars. Other sales are in progress near the local line of railroad. The railroads that are penetrating into Mendocino and Humboldt counties will have a further tendency of increased activity in redwood property.

A DISPATCH from Paducah, Ky. says that on the farm of W. Albert, near Heath, the people have become agitated over the "talking tree" that has been there for some time. Big crowds gather there to hear the strange noises that come from the tree. The voice, at times, can be distinctly heard and says, "there are treasures buried at my roots." Reliable people have visited the tree to make a thorough investigation. They listened patiently for several hours, when there was a sudden crash, which has been given many times before, and the marvelous reproduction of a human voice came out. The mystery remains unsolved.

STARTLING BUT TRUE

People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have warded it off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia." W. D. WILCOX, Logan, New York. Sold by J. R. Mathews' Pharmacy.

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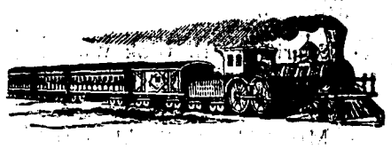

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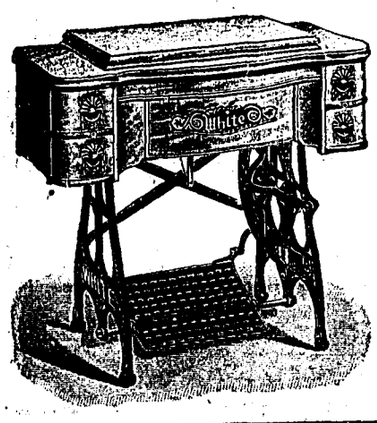

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To the Hon. J. Q. White, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

John Taylor, Public Administrator of the County of Mendocino, State of California, respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1904, and ending Dec. 31, 1904, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Date 1904	Name of Decedent	Approximate Value of Estate as far as Ascertained	Money Which Has Come Into The Hands Of The Administrator	Fees and Expenses Paid by Administrator	Balance Of Money In Hands of Administrator	Money in County Treasury	Money on Deposit to Credit of Estates of Decedents	Property exclusive of Money in Hands Of Administrator
Dec. 31	Peter Smith	$ 600.00			$600.00		$600 00	
" "	Robert Campbell	377.34			377.34		377.34	
" "	Gottfred Spycher	908.40	$108.40	$ 61.25	47.15		47.15	Real Est Ap'sd $800
" "	C. Feydt	200.00	200.00	6.00	194.00		194.00	
" "	Geo. W. Drew	500.00	55.15	446.85			446.85	
" "	Julia Harrison	160.00						Real Est Val $160
" "	Dennis Gallagher	600.00						Real Est Ap'sd $600
" "	Samuel M. Dibel	40.00						Real Est Ap'sd $40

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF MENDOCINO } ss

John Taylor, being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is the Public Administrator of the County of Mendocino and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore named. That he is not, and was not, at any time interested in the expenditures of any kind made on account of any estate he administers nor is he associated in business or otherwise with anyone who is so interested.

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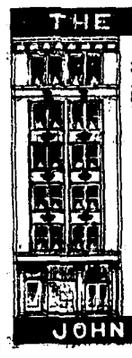

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Editorial Notes

DUKE, the millionaire tobacconist, has found out that it was easier to "find" Mrs. Duke before marriage than it is to "lose" her now.

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IN CHICAGO the other day the Democratic nominee for Mayor only accepted the honor upon a platform favoring the public ownership of the street railways.

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THE Attorney-General, Joseph H. Kibbey, of Arizona, is promoted to the Governorship of that Territory, E. A. Tucker, a noted jurist of Nebraska, is now associate justice.

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THE Bell bill opening the Round Valley Indian Reservation lands in this county for settlement has passed both houses of congress. All it now lacks to become a law is the President's approval and signature.

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THE former despot Governor Peabody of Colorado boldly asserts that he will unearth the election frauds in that State to the very bottom. In comparison this makes the digging of the Panama canal look easy.

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"MAKE Neidringhaus Senator!" yells the St. Louis Globe. "That is the square thing to do." Wonder if that Republican newspaper is trying to work the "innocent purchaser" clause on the people of that State? It very much looks like it.

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IT is recorded that a Pasadena doctor came to his death by mistaking a bottle of carbolic acid for a bottle of whiskey. The obvious moral of the case is found in the fact that if the doctor had not been a whisky soak he would not have made the fatal mistake.

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JUST as soon as the U. S. Senator-elect Bob La Follette from Wisconsin takes his seat in the Senate, President Roosevelt will at least have one staunch Republican that will stick to him in the fight against railroad discrimination and extortion. Bob is little but a fighter from the word go.

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PLANS are now being formed by the Lewis and Clark Exposition management for an airship tournament to take place during the Fair. Prizes will be awarded to the successful contestants and ambitious inventors from all over the world will enter the competition, and a new era in rapid transit is likely to be inaugurated through their efforts to solve the problem of aerial navigation. The Baldwin airship from San Francisco, which made several successful flights at St. Louis and around the bay of San Francisco, will be entered and much is expected of the craft. J. B. Paul of Seattle has invented an airship and has one now under construction which he expects to have ready in time to make a successful flight during the Fair season.

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OVER in Oakland last Sunday morning, Edward Koehn took a shot at his wife, a bride of six weeks, because she did not pack up her things quick enough to suit him and leave him, and missing his aim, she fired at him and did not stop firing until he fell—dead. It was a case of too much mother-in-law. After it was all over, inquisitive people wanted to know why she owned a revolver, and why and where she got it, and where she concealed it. But nobody asked the question how he became the possessor of the revolver he carried. Hasn't a woman as much right to carry a pistol as man, even if the law prohibits the carrying of such weapons? If more unfortunate or unhappy wives would have a "shooting iron" handy and use it with effect on similar occasions, we apprehend that it would check, in time, the cowardly brutality of husbands. We do not wish it to be understood that man is always wrong and woman right; but in a case like the above instead of shooting the woman out of house and home—he the aggressor—himself got shot out by the woman, the sympathy should not belong to him. And the law of the land will sustain her.

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THE overthrow of the old homestead law and the substitution of a 640-acre homestead law is being rapidly consummated, so far as the change can be pushed along by the Public Lands Committee of the House of Representatives. That body voted the other day to recommend the passage of a square mile homestead bill as applied to about ten million acres of land in Western South Dakota, although a minority of the committee, consisting of Chairman Lacey and Representatives Mendell of Wyoming, Miller of Kansas, and Needham of California, reported against it. The committee will take up succeeding bills applying the square-mile homestead to the other States. This report of the committee was made in the face of a strong adverse recommendation from the Commissioner of the General Land office and the Secretary of the Interior. Under the South Dakota bill the government is given four months in which to make a complete survey of the State and withdraw any lands suitable for irrigation. There is no provision in the bill, however, by which the government could withdraw lands which it might find to be suitable for agriculture without irrigation. Unless a strong sentiment is developed in opposition to this bill, it is likely to quietly slip through Congress, like the demonitization silver bill was. The western members of Congress evidently don't seem to care the snap of the finger of the result. There seems to be a disposition to let the public lands take care of themselves, no matter what amount of fraud and speculation in them is shown to exist, to pass by the problem and even as in this instance to enact further laws allowing their more rapid disposal. Be that as it may, we hardly think the present law will be changed; but it is expected that congress will take up the question State by State, one State—Dakota—having already been granted the right, and to secure the legislation piecemeal.

On Thursday, when the Senate voted to deny Senators Wright, Emmons, Bunkers and French the opportunity to avoid criminal prosecution by testifying before the investigating committee, Senator Sanford was put to a severe test. From boyhood Mr. Sanford had been the friend and associate of Senator Wright. They attended school together, they kept track of each other after they went out into the world, and within a month they had met in the State Senate, one representing a northern and the other a central district of the State. Naturally old connections had been revived, and their friendship put on a firmer basis than ever. But on Thursday Senator Sanford was called upon to cast a vote upon which the liberty of his old-time friend might depend. It was a question which vitality affected the honor of the State on the one hand, and the interests of a friend on the other; a case in which duty and friendship conflicted. But Senator Sanford did not flinch when it came to the test; he placed his duty to the State which he represents above that of all other considerations, even friendship, and voted to hold the Senators accountable in the criminal courts. Mr. Sanford by his strict adherence to duty has given an example of fealty to the public service unfortunately rare in the present day. When men respect the law, and take their responsibility as citizens seriously, no matter whether they serve as primary voters or Senators, there will be an end of political corruption.—Sacramento Union.

MORE new fraudulent transactions have been unearthed in Oregon since our last issue. The federal grand jury have investigated another land steal and have returned indictments against U. S. Senator J. H. Mitchell, Congressman Binger Hermann and others. They are charged with defrauding the Government out of 200,000 acres of land in Oregon, and also with attempting fraud in connection with the establishment of the Blue Fountain forest reserve in which they expected to make an immense amount of money.

THE people of Cloverdale are preparing to entertain thousands during the citrus fair time next week, and the town will be garlanded from end to end. The Santa Rosa band has been engaged as the official band of the fair, but there will be other bands there, and a carnival of music, not on the program, may result. Promenade concerts will no doubt mark each day in the big pavilion—afternoon and evening—and at night the pavilion will be brilliantly lighted.

THREE aeronauts made an ascent from the Crystal Palace, London, on Saturday evening last. They passed over the channel at a speed of 70 miles an hour, arriving at 1 o'clock Sunday morning at St. Denis, near Paris, beating all previous air voyages in that part of the world.

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Superior Court Notes

The People vs. W. Darr, rape case; jury disagreed.

The charge against Wm. May was dismissed, the District Attorney stating that he was not able to procure evidence sufficient to secure a conviction.

The case of W. H. Owens, known as Wm. Lambert, for murder was begun last Saturday. The particulars may be found elsewhere in this week's DISPATCH.

J. M. Mannon was appointed executor of the estate of J. B. Benton, deceased.

The final account allowed and distribution ordered in the estate of P. T. Muir.

Estate of Geo. W. Drew, deceased; final account allowed, approved and settled.

Estate of Elizabeth L. Reed, deceased; title to the community property vested in husband and decree of distribution ordered.

The entire estate of W. J. Cleveland was ordered set aside for the use of the widow.

The final distribution ordered of the estate of Eliza J. Mosier.

The administrator of the estate of George Haugsted was discharged.

John A. Redemeyer was allowed to file a cross-complaint in the case of George W. Stout as the executor of the estate of A. F. Redemeyer against McNab & Hirsch.

The case of Mendocino County vs. H. N. and Wm. Peters, the court made an order requiring the defendants to deposit $420 with the clerk of the court to indemnify any damage they may be awarded in said base. The defendents except to the ruling of the court.

The case of A. J. Thatcher vs. Julius Lemle; the demurrer withdrawn and 15 days required to answer by consent.

The case of Neva Mildred Copsey vs. Emma May Brown et al., decree of foreclosure and order of sale ordered drawn for the sum of $619.70, attorney fee, $75.

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